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Louise R. Bailey, M.ED., RN, Executive Officer



September 18, 2012

Therese Lynn Harrison
2040 Valencia Way
Clearwater, FL 33764

Dear Ms. Harrison:

Enclosed is a Decision and Order accepting the Voluntary Surrender of your California Registered Nurse License No. **588729**, effective **September 18, 2012**.

You are required to return your current licenses/certificates and original licenses issued **October 10, 2001** to the Board. Enclosed is a self-addressed return envelope for your convenience. ✓ These documents must be returned immediately and any use of them would constitute a violation of law.

Failure to surrender upon demand your license/certificate is a violation of Section 119 (d) of the Business and Professions (B & P) Code. If the board has not received your license/certificate after 30 calendar days from the effective date of the decision (September 18, 2012), you will be subject to a citation and fine of up to \$2,500. Any use of the license/certificate is a violation of Section 2725 of the B & P Code, and subject to criminal prosecution and additional fines.

Enclosed is explanatory material on reinstatement and criteria for rehabilitation. Although your license is surrendered, you may take nursing continuing education courses if you do not use your surrendered RN license number to do so. Proof of continuing education may be beneficial as part of your rehabilitation evidence if you petition the Board for reinstatement in the future.

Sincerely,

Brent Farrand
Legal Support Analyst
Board of Registered Nursing

Encl: Copy of Board decision, Self-addressed return envelope, Form BRN 925

Cc: Leslie Burgermyer, Deputy Attorney General

BEFORE THE
BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

**THERESE LYNN HARRISON
a.k.a. THERESE LYNN BIELIC
2040 Valencia Way
Clearwater, FL 33764**

Registered Nurse License No. 588729

Respondent

Case No. 2012- 315

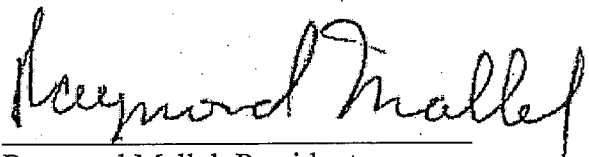
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DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby adopted by the Board of Registered Nursing, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective on **September 18, 2012.**

IT IS SO ORDERED **September 18, 2012.**



Raymond Mallel, President
Board of Registered Nursing
Department of Consumer Affairs
State of California

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8 **BEFORE THE**
9 **BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING**
10 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**
11 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

12 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 2012-315

13 **THERESE LYNN HARRISON**
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Clearwater, FL 33764

OAH No. 2011120420

15 **STIPULATED SURRENDER OF**
16 **LICENSE AND ORDER**

17 Registered Nurse License No. 588729

18 Respondent.

19 **IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED** by and between the parties in this
20 proceeding that the following matters are true:

21 **PARTIES**

22 1. Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN ("Complainant") is the Interim Executive Officer of the
23 Board of Registered Nursing ("Board"), Department of Consumer Affairs. She brought this
24 action solely in her official capacity and is represented in this matter by Kamala D. Harris,
25 Attorney General of the State of California, by Leslie A. Burgermyer, Deputy Attorney General.

26 2. Therese Harrison, also known as Therese Lynn Biellic, ("Respondent") is representing
27 herself in this proceeding and has chosen not to exercise her right to be represented by counsel.

28 3. On or about October 10, 2001, the Board issued Registered Nurse License Number
588729 to Respondent. The Registered Nurse License was in full force and effect at all times

1 relevant to the charges brought in Accusation No. 2012-315 and will expire on May 13, 2013,
2 unless renewed.

3 JURISDICTION

4 4. Accusation No. 2012-315 was filed before the Board and is currently pending against
5 Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served
6 on Respondent on November 22, 2011. Respondent timely filed her Notice of Defense contesting
7 the Accusation. A copy of Accusation No. 2012-315 is attached hereto, marked Exhibit A, and
8 incorporated by reference.

9 ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

10 5. Respondent has carefully read, and understands the charges and allegations in
11 Accusation No. 2012-315. Respondent also has carefully read, and understands the effects of this
12 Stipulated Surrender of License and Order.

13 6. Respondent is fully aware of her legal rights in this matter, including the right to a
14 hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to be represented by counsel, at
15 her own expense; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against her; the right to
16 present evidence and to testify on her own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to
17 compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration
18 and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California
19 Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.

20 7. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and
21 every right set forth above.

22 CULPABILITY

23 8. Respondent admits the truth of each and every charge and allegation in Accusation
24 No. 2012-315, agrees that cause exists for discipline and hereby surrenders her Registered Nurse
25 License No. 588729 for the Board's formal acceptance.

26 9. Respondent understands that by signing this stipulation she enables the Board to issue
27 an order accepting the surrender of her Registered Nurse License without further process.

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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Registered Nurse License Numbered 588729, issued to Respondent Therese Harrison, also known as Therese Lynn Bielic, ("Respondent") is SURRENDERED and accepted by the Board of Registered Nursing ("Board"), Department of Consumer Affairs.

1. The surrender of Respondent's Registered Nurse License and the acceptance of the surrendered license by the Board shall constitute the imposition of discipline against Respondent. This stipulation constitutes a record of the discipline and shall become a part of Respondent's license history with the Board.

2. Respondent shall lose all rights and privileges as a Registered Nurse in California as of the effective date of the Board's Decision and Order.

3. Respondent shall cause to be delivered to the Board her pocket license and, if one was issued, her wall certificate on or before the effective date of the Decision and Order.

4. If Respondent ever files an application for licensure or a petition for reinstatement in the State of California, the Board shall treat it as a petition for reinstatement. Respondent must comply with all the laws, regulations and procedures for reinstatement of a revoked license in effect at the time the petition is filed, and all of the charges and allegations contained in Accusation No. 2012-315 shall be deemed to be true, correct and admitted by Respondent when the Board determines whether to grant or deny the petition.

5. If and when Respondent's license is reinstated, she shall pay to the Board costs associated with its investigation and enforcement pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3 in the amount of \$1,872.50. Respondent shall be permitted to pay these costs in a payment plan approved by the Board. Nothing in this provision shall be construed to prohibit the Board from reducing the amount of cost recovery upon reinstatement of the license.

6. If Respondent should ever apply or re-apply for a new license or certification, or petition for reinstatement of a license, by any other health care licensing agency in the State of California, all of the charges and allegations contained in Accusation No. 2012-315 shall be

1 deemed to be true, correct, and admitted by Respondent for the purpose of any Statement of
2 Issues or any other proceeding seeking to deny or restrict licensure.

3 7. Respondent shall not apply for licensure or petition for reinstatement for two (2)
4 years from the effective date of the Board of Registered Nursing's Decision and Order.

5 ACCEPTANCE

6 I have carefully read the Stipulated Surrender of License and Order. I understand the
7 stipulation and the effect it will have on my Registered Nurse License. I enter into this Stipulated
8 Surrender of License and Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound
9 by the Decision and Order of the Board of Registered Nursing.

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11 DATED: 6/21/2012

Therese Harrison
THERESE HARRISON, also known as
THERESE LYNN BIELIC
Respondent

14 ENDORSEMENT

15 The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted
16 for consideration by the Board of Registered Nursing of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

17 DATED: _____

Respectfully submitted,

18 KAMALA D. HARRIS
19 Attorney General of California
20 ARTHUR D. TAGGART
Supervising Deputy Attorney General

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22 LESLIE A. BURGERMYER
23 Deputy Attorney General
24 *Attorneys for Complainant*

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2 Issues or any other proceeding seeking to deny or restrict licensure.

3 7. Respondent shall not apply for licensure or petition for reinstatement for two (2)
4 years from the effective date of the Board of Registered Nursing's Decision and Order.

5 **ACCEPTANCE**

6 I have carefully read the Stipulated Surrender of License and Order. I understand the
7 stipulation and the effect it will have on my Registered Nurse License. I enter into this Stipulated
8 Surrender of License and Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound
9 by the Decision and Order of the Board of Registered Nursing.

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11 DATED: _____

12 THERESE HARRISON, also known as
13 THERESE LYNN BIELIC
Respondent

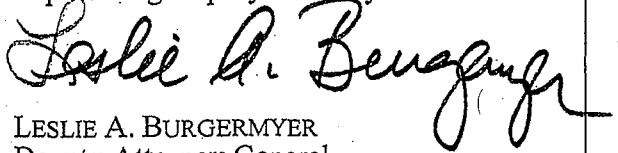
14 **ENDORSEMENT**

15 The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted
16 for consideration by the Board of Registered Nursing of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

17 DATED: 6-25-2012

Respectfully submitted,

18 KAMALA D. HARRIS
19 Attorney General of California
20 ARTHUR D. TAGGART
Supervising Deputy Attorney General

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Exhibit A

Accusation No. 2012-315

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14 Clearwater, FL 33764

A C C U S A T I O N

15 Registered Nurse License No. 588729

16 Respondent.

17 Complainant alleges:

18 **PARTIES**

19 1. Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN ("Complainant") brings this Accusation solely in her
20 official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Registered Nursing ("Board"),
21 Department of Consumer Affairs.

22 **Registered Nurse License**

23 2. On or about October 10, 2001, the Board issued Registered Nurse License Number
24 588729 to Therese Lynn Harrison ("Respondent"). The registered nurse license was in full force
25 and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on May 31, 2013,
26 unless renewed.

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1 the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and
2 enforcement of the case.

3 **FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

4 **(Criminal Conviction)**

5 8. Respondent has subjected her license to discipline pursuant to Code sections 2750
6 and 2761, subdivision (f), in that Respondent has been convicted of the following crime that is
7 substantially related to the qualifications, functions, or duties of a registered nurse as follows:

8 a. On or about June 21, 2011, in the Superior Court, County of Marin, California,
9 in the matter entitled *People vs. Therese Lynn Harrison aka Therese Lynn Bielic*, 2011, Case No.
10 CR174806 A, Respondent was convicted following her plea of guilty to a violation of Vehicle
11 Code section 23152, subdivision (b) [driving with a blood alcohol level of .08% or more], a
12 misdemeanor. The circumstances of the crime are that on or about March 3, 2011, police were
13 summoned to a parking lot regarding reports that Respondent was intoxicated and attempting to
14 leave the area in her vehicle. Police arrived and Respondent was subsequently arrested. While in
15 the police vehicle, Respondent yelled obscenities and kicked the door and window of the patrol
16 car and was uncooperative. Respondent's blood alcohol measured .28%.

17 **SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

18 **(Conviction of a Crime Involving Alcohol)**

19 9. Respondent has subjected her license to discipline pursuant to Code sections 2750
20 and 2761, subdivision (a), on the grounds of unprofessional conduct, as defined by Code section
21 2762, subdivision (c), in that Respondent has been convicted of a crime involving the
22 consumption of alcoholic beverages, as more particularly set forth in paragraph 8, above.

23 **THIRD CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

24 **(Use Alcohol to an Extent or in a Manner Dangerous or Injurious)**

25 10. Respondent has subjected her license to discipline pursuant to Code sections 2750
26 and 2761, subdivision (a), on the grounds of unprofessional conduct, as defined in Code section
27 2762, subdivision (b), in that on or about March 3, 2011, Respondent used alcoholic beverages to
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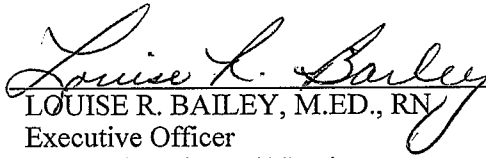
1 an extent or in a manner dangerous or injurious to herself or others, as more particularly set forth
2 in paragraph 8, above.

3 **PRAYER**

4 **WHEREFORE**, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged,
5 and that following the hearing, the Board of Registered Nursing issue a decision:

- 6 1. Revoking or suspending Registered Nurse License Number 588729, issued to Therese
7 Lynn Harrison a.k.a. Therese Lynn Biellic;
8 2. Ordering Therese Lynn Harrison a.k.a. Therese Lynn Biellic to pay the Board of
9 Registered Nursing the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case,
10 pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; and,
11 3. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

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14 DATED: November 22, 2011


LOUISE R. BAILEY, M.ED., RN
Executive Officer
Board of Registered Nursing
Department of Consumer Affairs
State of California
Complainant